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No. 9876 就五十七百三	千九第 日二十月二十年三	十縮光 HONGKO	NG, TUESDAY, JANUARI 24TE		姚四十二月正英港香	PRICE S21 PER MONTH
SHIPPING.	INITMATIONS.	BANKS.	INTIMATIONS.	INSORANCES.	NOTICES OF FIRMS	NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
ARRIVALS.	LIFE ASSURANCE.	THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.	HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO, STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.	GERMAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF BERLIN,	THE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY of the	NOTICE. —— CHRONIGLE AND DIRECTOR
uary 22, Kumanoto Maru, Japan steamer, 1,240, Ekstrand, Kuchinotsu 18th January,	FOR many years the STANDARD LIFE OFFICE has paid away upwards of Half		NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE FORTY THIRD ORDINARY	Agents for the above Company are L	OWITZ and his HEIRS in our FIRM	Anyone whof may not have received Copi
Coal.—Mitsu Bussan Kaisha. mary 23. Eme, British bark, 778, W. Sum-	a Million Pounds Sterling per Annum in Death Claims. Its Funds—steadily in-	Presistand Affin A Tuppanyeers Supplet	SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be	prepared to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE C RISKS to all parts of the World. MEYER & Co.	CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkoug, 21st January, 1888.	already ordered should notify us at once. The next supply will be ready at 10.30 A.
mers, London 5th October, General.—Wik-	oreasing, exceed 61 Millions, and have in- oreased over 50 per cent. in the last 15	BRANCHES IN INDIA. CHINA. JAPAN.	held at the Office of the Company, No. 7. Queen's Read Central, on SATURDAY, the 4th February, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of	. Hongkong, 23rd January, 1888. 201 :	NOTICE.	to-day. Daily Press (co.
Bluckburn, Bangkok 15th January, General,	years. The New Assurances on carefully selected lives for the last five years have	533	receiving a Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a	OEEN FIRE INSURANCE	R. M. GROTE has This DAY been admitted a PARTNER in our FIRM.	Hengkong, tth January, 1888.
-Hop Hing Hong ary 23, Diemnah, French steamer, 2,694,	been in excess of the Business transacted	Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection,	Dividend and electing Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLUSED from the 26th instant to the	The Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to A CEPT RISKS	CHATER & VERNON. Hongkong, 1st January, 1888. [66]	
Inquier, Shaughai 21st January, General., -MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.	Business is conducted with economy, the premiums are moderate, and the condi-	generally on terms to be had on application.	4th February inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors.	against FIRE at Current Rates. NORTON & Co.,	NOTICE. NOTICE. R. FRIEDRICH SEIP and Mr.	SANITARY NOTIFICATION.
ary 23, Activ, Danish steamer, 355, N. A. Rivetich, Pakhoi 20th January, and Hoi-	tions will be found liberal.	Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum. Fixed for 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum.	Acting Secretary,	Hongkong 16th July, 1887. Agents.	This Day been admitted Partners in our	SMALE POX. Norder to geduce to a minimum the risk
Z CO.	BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED,	Fixed for 3 months, 3 per Cent, per Annum. On Current Deposit-Accounts 2 per Cent. per Annum on the daily balance.	Hongkong, 23rd January, 1838. [203	THE LONDON ASSURANCE I	EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co.	a contagion through the treatment of per suffering from SMALL-POX in private
ary 23, Yexsand, British steamer, from Whampon.	FOR SALE.	APPROVED CLAIMS on the ORIENTAL	NOTICE	MAJESTY KING GEORGE THE FIRST. A.D. 1720	1.4 T	mises, the public are enjoined to make effort to secure the complete isolation patients.
. OLEARANCES.		BANK CORPORATION, in Liquidation, or the BALANGES of such Claims purchased on advantageous terms.	H. B. M.'s CONSULATE, CANTON.	Agents for the above Corporation, are	TATE Have authorised Mr. GUSTAV	Owners or occupiers of tenements we persons are suffering from this discuss
T THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. 23rd January.	WY in the second	Agency of the NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY.	SAYER'S ESTATE.— -A-DIVIDEND-of- (16-Cents) - SIXTEEN	prepared to grant Insurances as follows:— MARINE DEPARTMENT	FIRM by procuration from this date, in Hong-	requested to inform the Undersigned of earliest day on which the room vacated patients can be fumigated and limewashed.
British steamer, for Amoy. r. British steamer, for Singapore.	SCARFS AND TIES.	E. W. BUTTER, Manager, Hongkong Branch. Hongkong, 12th March, 1887.	CENTS in the Dollar will be paid on emplication of this Consulate on the allowed	in London, or at the principal Ports of India.	Ilongkong, 30th December, 1887. 68	WM. HDWARD CROV Honorary Secretary t
Reng, British steamer, for Swatow.	GLOVES.	TT ONGKONG&SHANGHAIBANKING	Claims lodged against the above Estate. CHAL. ALABASTER,	FIRE DEPARTMENT. Policies issued for long or short periods at	NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.	Sanitary Board. Room, *Hongkong. 20th January, 1888
tos, German steamer, for Nagasaki. n, British steamer, for Swatew.	SHIRTS & COLLARS.	PAID-UF CAPITAL \$7,500,000.	18th January, 1888. [187	Current rates. LIFE DEPARTMENT. Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000,	NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.	PUBLIC AUCTION.
nne, French bark, for Havre.		RESERVE FUND 3,900,000. RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS 7,500,000.	GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. PRENDERS will be received up to 9 A.M., on	at reduced rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.	S. S. "TEVIOT." FROM ANTWERP, DUNKIRK, BOR-	THE Undersigned has received instruc- to Sell by Public Auction,
DEPARTURES. ry 23, YANGTSZE, Brit. str., for Whampos.	FELT HATS,	COURT OF DIRECTORS -	MONDAY, 16th April, 18-8, for RENT- ING the following FARMS for THREE	Hongkong, zeta July, 1812.	DEAUX, AND HAIPHONG.	TO-MORROW, the 25th January, 1888, at Noon. 50 Tous LUMP TAKASIMA COAL,
ry 23, EL DORADO, British steamer, for Vhampos.	AND	Chairman—C. D. BOTTOMLEY, Esq. Deputy Chairman—Hon. J. BELL Invinc. II. L. Dalrymple, Esq. Hon. A. P. McEwen.	YEARS, from 1st July, 1888, viz :-	The Undersigned are now prepared to	NONSIGNEES of Cargo are requested to send their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature and to take im-	29 Tons AUSTRALIAN COAL, -
ry 23, Tetauros, Ger. str., for Nagasaki. ry 23, Zafiro, British str., for Amoy.		W. H. F. Darby, Esq. S. C. Michaelsen, Esq. J. S. Moses, Esq. Hon. F. D. Sassoon.	Sarawak, from Tanjong Datu to and inclusive of the Baram River, a distance	FIRE at Current Rates. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,	nediate delivery of their goods from alongside	In Boats, alongside P. & O., S. N. Co.'s W. Prnya Central.
PASSENGERS.	OF ALL KINDS.	CHIEF MANAGER. Hongkong—Thomas Jackson, Esq.	The GAMBLING FARM, from Tanjong Data to and inclusive of the Sadong	Agents for the Phoenix Fire Office. Hongkong, 17th August, 1887.	Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once anded and stored at Consignees risk and	TERMS OF SALE.—As Customary. HUGHES & EZR Auctiqueers.
Nanchan, str., from Bangkok.—2 Chinese.	TANK CRAWFORD & Co.	MANAGER. Shanghai—Ewen Cameron, Esq. London Bankers—London & County Bank.	River. The ARRACK FARM, from Tanjong Datu	INSURANCE IN THE	ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,	Hongkong, 24th January, 1888.
Activ, str., from Pakhoi and Hoihow.—20	Hongkong, 28th December, 1887. [28]	Hoverove Immerca Aviones	to and inclusive of the Badong River. 2nd—Texpess must be written in English	THE NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE	Hongkong, 13th January, 1888.	CHINA NAVIGATION COMPAN LIMITED.
Coppe and 2 infants, Miss L. Benett,	KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED, PRINTERS AND PUBLISHERS.	On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per Annum on the daily balance On Fixed Deposits:—	Knowing Sarawak.	HIS Policy secures to the insured the option	STEAMSHIP "SAGHALIEN." COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES	STEAM TO JAPAN. FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE, AND
s. C. W. Smith and G. H. Wheeler, and 2 see. For Saigon.—Dr. Brenon and 77	WILL BE PUBLISHED ON MONDAY, JAN. 23ED,	For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum.	a Tender for the Three Farins Collectively, and	any 5 Year period, and receiving for his Policy a	MARITIMES.	YOKOHAMA.
h marines. For Singapore.—Mrs. Mor- For Suez.—Sir R. Rennie. For Mar- .—Dr. Meire, Messrs. Bianchi, dos Reme-	PRICE, ONE DOLLAR, THE HONGKONG ALMANACK	For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and	required. 4th—The Government does not bind itself to	accumulated surplus apportioned as a dividend. If death occur, the full amount of the Policy will	NOTICE. ONSIGNES of Cargo from London Ex	T "SOOUTOW"
Garira Maurilla, Usibuka, Ostuka, Ishu- and Jones:	Compiled by Bruck Sherherd,	every description of Banking and Exchange	5th—The successful Tenderer or Tenderers will be required to find Security for the due	be paid immediately on proof of death, together with a Mortugry Dividend of 50 per Cent. of all	"RICHARD CORY," Havre Ex.S. S. "YO.	TO-DAY, the 24th inst., at FOUR P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to
Neckar, str., from Hongkong,—For Sin-	kok, Saigon, Haiphong, and Woosang Bar.	DRAFTS granted on London and the chief	fulfilment of his or their Contracts.	premiume received during the 5 Year period in to hick death may happen.	ROUBA," and Bordeaux Ex S.S. "E MAND DES VERGES," in-connection-with above	BUTTERFIELD & SWILL Account
and W. H. Reid and 18 Chinese. For-	Vessel For Signals on the China Coast correct-	America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.	pore for the Sarawak Government, or to the RESIDENT OFFICE, Kuching, Sarawak.	BIRLEY DALBYMPLE & Co., -	with the exception of Opinio, Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at	NETHERLANDSINDIA STEAM N GATION COMPANY.
Mitchell. For Bremen.—Stabsarzt Nie-	ed to date, Notes on Local Tides, Calendars and Astronomical Phenomenes for the year com- puted to Hongkong, Civil Time; Information	Hongkong, 20th September, 1887.	F. O. MAXWELL, Administering the Government	Agenta	their risks at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after lauding.	
Manila.—For Genoa.—Mr. Otto Siegert.	ment Departments. Meteorological and General	DULES OF THE HONGKONG	Resident's Office, Kuching, Sarawak, lat January, 1888. [115	GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE	Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation: is received from the Consiguees	SINGAPORE.
Hiogo.—For Brindisi.—Rev. John T.	Wages or Income Tables in Dollars from One	EL SAVINGS BANK.	A MUSIC, GERMAN and FRENCH.	FEIRE Understoned having been appointed	before Noon, TO-DAY (SATURDAY), request- ing it to be landed here.	"BORNEO."
Genoa.—Mr. and Mrs. Mencarini. For ampton.—Mr. T. L. Tollit. For Antwerp:	THE PARTY OF THE P	1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai	MISS SCHRAM,	Agents for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES against FIRE AND LIFE at Current Rates.	Undersigned.	on or about the 31st instant.
For Hamburg.—Mr. and Mrs. Beckhoff	Mr. Bruce Shepherd's	Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3. Saturdays, 10 to 1.	Hongkong, 21st January, 1888. [188] NOTICE.	Hongkong, Ist April, 1885. [685]	DAY, the 28th instant, at NOON, will be subject to rept and landing charges at One Cent	JARDINE, MATTHESON & Agricus.
ild.	HONGKONG,	2.—Bums, less than \$1, or more than \$250 at		MPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COM-	per package per diem. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before the 30th instant (MONDAY), or they will not be	INAVIGAZIONE GENERALIE ITALI
British steamer Nanshan, from Bangkok	Cloth and folded in case \$2, Mounted on Cloth and Rollers for hanging in an Office \$3.	3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having \$100 or more at their oredit may at their option	WINE MERCHANT, SHANGHAI.	The Undersioned, Agents for the above	recognized. No Fire Insurance has been affected.	STEAM FOR
January, reports having experienced fine er to Paracels; thence to port fresh mon- and cloudy.	26	transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shang. 19 months at 5 per cent, per annum interest.	Hongkong, 1st October, 1887.	Company, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES One FIRST-CLASS RISK	Hongkong, 2180 January, 1500,	baving connexion with Company's Mail Sto. ADEN. SUEZ, PORT.
British bark-Ems, from London 5th Oc- reports having spoken the Hectanooga,	Japanned Tin Desputch Boxes.	4.—Interest at the rate of 33 per cent. per	BOARD AND RESIDENCE.	at Current Bates. GIBB LIVINGSTON & Co.,	FROM HAMBURG PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.	MESSINA, NAPLES, LEGHO and GENOA; all MEDITERRA ADRIATIC, LEVANTINE, and S
e 30th December, in lat. 13.20 S., long. 2 E. from Cardiff to Hongkong, 98 days the Centennial, on the 7th January, in	Japanned Tin Deed Boxes. News Cuttings Albums.	in the Page Rook which must be presented with	RS. STAINFIELD, 55, Queen's Road East, has Private Board and Residence for Single Men or Married Couples, a	LI Transference Utb Mar 1884	DAPHNE."	AMERICAN PORTS up to CALLAO. To Cargo at through rates to PER
Passage, from New York to Hongkong, ays out	Ladies' Skeleton Chit Cases.	sach payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass Books, but should send them to be written up	t reasonable rates Hongkong, 14th October, 1887.	ONDANY AT HAMBURG.	Captain Voss, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby re- quested to send in their Bills of Lading for	THE Company's Steamship
Japanese steamer Kumamoto Maru, from inotzu 18th Junuary, reports overcast,	Ladies' Hand Bags in Newest Designs.	at least twice a year, about the beginning of	CONSTITUTING ENGINEER	THE Undersigned, Agents for the above	take immediate delivery of their Goods from	Captain De Marchi, will be despatched as
y weather, with min from Japan coast to about: thence to port fine weather, slightly	Cabinet Photo Albums. Judson's Gold Paint.	Bank if marked On Hongkong SAVINGS BANK	MARINE HOUES, QUEEN'S ROAD.	SURANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on first.	olongside. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before NOON	At Bombay the Steamers are discharg Prince's Docks.
On the 21st instant, off Lamceks, spoke merican steamer City of Peking, and off kers Point the French mail steamer Sag-	Photos of Fashionable Beauties. Blotting Pad Diaries.	Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand	DEAFT STEAMERS, STEAM LAUNCHES, MARIN Engines and Boilers, and all other kinds	f Hongkong, 27th March, 1876.	TO-DAY, the 21st instant.	For Further Particulars regarding P
26.	Dressing Cases. Fancy Writing Cases.	but the personal attendance of the Depositor of his duly appointed Agent, and the production of	MACHINERY. A List of Steamers for Sale always on hand	FIGHE MAN ON INSURANCE COM-	landed into the Godowns of the Kowloon Pleased Godowa Co. and stored at Consigness, risk	CARLOWITZA
AMOY SHIPPING. ary— e ARRIVALS. Agamemnon, British str., from Hongkong.	Porcelaine Menu Stands. Death and Afterwords, by Edwin, Arnold.	his Pass Book are necessary. For the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank ing Conforation.	Hongkong, 5th January, 1888.	HEAD OFFICE—Hoverong.	and expense. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining	HONGKONG AMATEUR DRAM
Thales, British str., from Taiwanfoo: Lacrtes, British str., from Foochow.	Ladies' Handbook Funcy Work. Mrs. Browning's Poolus, cheap Ed. Animal Magnetism.	T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.	Hiogo-Osaka van IS November 1887 word hiermede opgeroepen, HENRI JOHAN HUBENE	t, BOARD OF DIRECTORS.	undelivered after the 28th inst, will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to	CLUB. CLUB. CLUB. CTHE Performance of "THE RIV
, Zafiro, Hritish str., from Hongkong. , Orient, German bark, from Nagasaki. , Tamsui, British str., from Swatow.	Cheap Stationery. Cheap Commercial Envelopes.	Hongkong, 1st September, 1887.	leatet gedomicilieerd to Hiogo dech numiwezen om to verschijnen voor bovengencemde Rech	t. BAN HUP Esq. Yow Chong Peng, Psq.	be left in the Godowns, where they will be aromined on the 28th inst., at 4 P.M.	EVENING, 25th inst., at 9 P.M. Tick
Namos, British str., from Hongkong. Swatow, British str., from Shanghai.	Curling Pins. WALTER W. BREWER, UNDER HONGRONG HOTEL.	INTIMATIONS.	bank op den 24sten February 1888. Nederlandsche Consulaire Rechtban UHS, BRAESS,	b. The Company GRANTS POLICIES on	No Fire Insurance has been succeed. SIEMBSEN & Co.,	be obtained from Messes. LANE, CRA & Co., on and after FRIDAY, 20th instant Dress Circle
Camelot, German str., from Swatow. C. H. Kian, British str., from Hongkong. Basuto, British bark, from Chefoo.	(BEMOVED).	NOW READY.	Voorzitter. Hiogo, 24sten November, 1887. 24		Hongkong, 21st January, 1888.	Any Tickets not made use of at the p
Teesang, British str., from Shanghai. Fokien, British str., from Tamsui.	COLLEGE CHAMBERS NEXT TO Daily Press,	FOR THE DESK,	DENTIFRICE ELIXI	Contributors of Business, whether they are	CONSTANCES per Commany's Steame	ance on 17th instant may be change
Yehsin, Chinese str., from Shanghai. Titan, British str., from Hongkong. Haitan, British str., from Hongkong.	Hongkong.	In RED INITATION MOROCCO-CASE.	Dentifrice Powder DENTIFRICE PASTE	WOO LIN YUEN. Secretary.	are hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis	Hon. Secrets
Formosa, British str., from Hongkong.	MANUFACTURER OF - FIRST CLASS FURNITURE AND UPHOLSTERY,	PRICE ONE DOLLAR.	SELIXIR DENTIFRICE)	HEAD OFFICE, No. 2. Queen's Road West, Tongkong, 14th March, 1881. [1782]	charged into Craft, and/or landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be	THE OHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERN
Agamemnon, British str., for Shanghai. Fokien, British str., for Tamsui. Laertes, British str., for Swatow.	Every Description in Foreign & Latest Designs	KELLY & WALSH, W. BREWER, LANE, CHAWFORD & Co.		NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE	ready for delivery from Craft or Godown o	EIGHT PER-CENT,
, Zafiro, British str., for Manila. , Thales, British str., for Swatow.	ARTISTIC DRAPERIES AND LAMBREKINS. DRAWING ROOM AND DINING ROOM SUITES.	PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEA	ATTACA TO THE PARTY OF THE PART	THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Com-	Goods undelivered after the 26th instant, will be subject to Rent.	THE THIRD AND FINAL DRA
Namoa, British str., for Foodhow. Tamsui, British str., for Shanghai. Nation, British str., for Tamsui.	A Large Variety of latest Style of TAFES TRIES, SILE FURNITURE, PLUSHES IS all	NAVIGATION COMPANY.	POWDER and PASTE of the R. R. F. BENEDICTINES of the Abbey of Sou Gironde (France).	lac FIRE at Current Rates. GILMAN & Co.	Hougkong, 18th January, 1888. 119	Nortce is Hungay Given, that the
J. Titan, British str., for Shanghai. J. Leesung, British str., for Swatow.	Colours, Plain and Embossed. FRINGES, TASSELS, CORDS by the Yard.	NOTICE TO PASSENGERS.	General Agent, A. SEGUIN, 3, rue Huguer Bordeaux.			thereon, dup- and payable at the Office CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA
6, Cámelot, German etr., for Swatow. 6, Fokien, British str., for Swatow.	PICTURE FRANCS made with Silk Plushes.	PASSENGERS can at the present til	Hair Dressers.		THE Steamship	TRALIA AND CHINA, in Hough the Eighteenth day of January, One T
HE Undersigned have been appointed Sol	Hongkong, 10th January, 1888. 11	of the year engage Berthe through EUROPE VIA BOMBAY WITHOUT CHAN-	A. S. WATSON & Co.; Chemists.	HEAD OFFICE,—Hongkong. CAPITAL TWO MILLION DOLLARS.	"GLENEARN." having arrived from the above ports Consigne	Eight Hundred and Eighty-eight, will on and after that date.
Agents for the Sale of their Goods in glong and China by Messra. J. & R. Ter T., Glasgow, and Messra. David Corsar	BESTAURANT AND CAFE,	OF STEAMER OF INCREASE OF FARE.	EPILEPSY, Hysteria, Convulsions and Nervous Diseases are radically cured	all Total Assets 1,286,000 by Chaims Paid Exceed 530,000	having arrived from the above ports Consigned of Cargo by her and by the S. S. Ludgate it and Canada from New York, are herely informed that their goods are being handed	by FOR THE CHARTERED BANK OF
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.	VICTORIA GAP, 1.250 FEET ABOVE SEA LEVEL.	E. L. WOODIN,	the use of LAROYENNE'S anti-nerv	Ous RISKS accepted at CURRENT RATES OF PREMIA.	their risk into the godowns of the Hougker	(Agents Issuing the Loan),
longkong, January, 1867. 2 OUARE BOTTLE WHISK	City, with a Southern Exposure, Warm	n Supermentent	Chemist of the Paris Academy of Medicine This Mode of TREATMENT was experien by Dr. FREMY, at the central hospital (Hô	ced Socretary	Limited, at Kowloon, whence delivery may	Manugor.
NAPIER JOHNSTONE'S BLEND, Superb Quality,	Mr. WILLIAM THOMAS begs to intima	L O A N,	Dien) in this medical department; by FAUVEL; at Dr. BLANCHE's private hospi	Dr. tal, FIRANSATLANTICFIREINSURANGE	Optional Cargo-will be forwarded unle notice to the contrary be given before Noo TO.DAY, the 19th instant.	NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,	that he has NOW OPENED the about HOTEL, and is prepared to serve on the Shortest Notice BREAKFASTS. LUI	S4.000 TO be advanced on Montgage of Landed P	member of the Academy and by Dr. RABBI wirch, member of both the Academy of Panel and the Institute of France.	ris, The Undersigned, having been appointe	Cargo remaining undelivered after the 25 d instant, will be subject to rent.	STORE on the 1st Proxim
37 Hongkong.	CHEONS and DINNERS, AT FIXED PRIOR	s. perty in Hongkong at Current rate of inter- L. Address B.	These eminent Doctors have ascertained the constant and periodical decrease of the	of Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.	No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,	17. Queen's Road Central, MARINE
THE CHINA & JAPAN TELEPHON COMPANY, LIMITED,	E MENTS, WINES, CAKES, CONFECTION ERY ICES, &c., served, and FOR SALE	Care of Daily Press Office Hongkong, 20th January, 1888.	which are soon after radically cured. This Preparation is combined with Sal	SIFMSSEN & Co., Agents.	Agents. Hongkong, 19th January, 1888.	75 Hougkong, 21st January, 1888
4, CLUB CHAMBERS, HONGKONG.	RESIDENTS. The CUISINE will ombrace all t Luxuries of the season from the North, Japa and San Francisco.	THE BRITISH BARQUE "NARDO	The Prostment is never to be continued a	Hongkong, 16th November, 1872.	5 - DIANO C	TIMBE.R. Co. FIRE Undersigned, Agents for
The TELEPHONE EXCHANGE is now working order.	WINES, LIQUORS, BEER, AND	the British Barous—"NARDO the Transfer whereof will be effected wit	O, are sufficient.	IN HAMBURG.	Manufacturers of Cabinet, Combination,	E.E. ABRAHAMSON & Co., S British North Borneo, are now pre-
Subscription, \$80 per Annun. Electrical Material on sale, or hire. Electric Bells fitted and maintained.	MINERAL WATERS of the Best Quality	one mouth from this date, hereby request Persons having Claims against the said Ve	all Royale, CLERMONT-FERRAND (France) and	lace. THE Undersigned, Agents of the above dat Company, are Prepared to ACCEP'	ORGANS,	submit for inspection Samples of hard TIMBERS suitable for Wharves, Buil
Agents for Electric Lighting. Estimates free for all kinds of Electrical wo	RETIRING ROOMS	to send particulars of such Claims to the unce signed on or before the 31st January, 1888.	MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHIA,	PUSTAU & Co., Agents.	and Square and Upright PIANOS;	General purposes. GIBB, LIVINGSTON Agents.
HAROLD DOWSON Agent	LADIES AND CHILDREN. SEVERAL COMFORTABLE BEDECOMS.	PEN KEE, HING LUNG STREET. Hongkong, 5th January, 1888.	SOLE AGENTS FOR THE MIKE COAL MINE.	Hongkong, 18th January, 1884.	Sole right to use Foley's Automatic PED COVER, for the whole Continent of EUROP	Hongkong 2nd November, 1886.
Hongkong, 26th August, 1887. 10 F you want JAPANESE GOODS	TELEPHONE No. 29.	76 Hongkong, Jun January, 1888.	BUNKER COALS can be supplied to steamer lying in the Harbour or con	vino l	This device absolutely closes the Organ, rending it proof against Mice, Insects, Dust, &c.	HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA
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HONGKONG, JANUARY 24TH, 1858

Our correspondent." Fever " has forwarded to us an article from the Morning Post, reproduced in another column, which has very practical bearing on the present epidemic of small-pox. The Post points out that small-pox hospitals, unless at a distance from dwellings, are more calculated to a read than to arrest the disease. What, then, to be said of the arrangements in Hong, ing about the Settlement. Some of them are kong, where a number of matsheds have nearly starved to death, and the Chinese Authoribeen erected for the accommodation of smallpox patients immediately above the Civil Hospital in close contiguity to dwellinghouses, and where, also, anall-por patients the very heart of the most crowded quarter of this growded town? If it be true that Assistant Judge. the germs of small pix are carried in the must be looked on as a fruitful source of the A full Chronology of remarkable events since homes there would be a possibility of the garms being carried off without coming in contact with any individual, but when they are congregated together in large numbers the whole air in the neighbourhood must become so loaded that it would he buencieing if many norsons were not infected. Just its volley firing is more effective than independent firing by men occup ing various positions scattered ever a wide so the aggregation of small-pox

> the theory of germs in the air to be correct. to work much more mischief amongst the community than if the patients were left attheir own houses. There are undoubtedly advantages in the Treasurer, Comp. A. R. Madar; Scribe E shospital system which may, and we should suppose do, more than compensate for the dis- J. Maxwell. advantage mentioned above. Regulations can be enforced, there is less risk of infection being spread by direct contact, and clothes this evening, from 7.30 till 10 c clock. The and bedding oun be disinfected or destroyed with more certainty than when the patients! are treated in their own homes, where considerations of trouble or loss might lead to the neglect of such disinfection or destruction. Common sense, however, indicates with sufficient clearness that our existing hospital

patients in large numbers at one or two

points may be calculated, always supposing

arrangements in regard to an epidemic like of the 18th instant appointing a Commission, to the present, if better than nothing at all, are report on the best mode of holding such an exlamentably defective. A fever hospital at a tary, Sr. Costa Duarte, as president, and Srs. labour. distance from the town is an absolute neces- D. C. Pacheco, L. A. Ferreira, J. M. Horts e sity, and should be provided without delay. It may be hoped that the present epideniic has reached its height, or at all events that it will have passed away before new hospital urrangements bould be perfected; but every with passengers, but without cargo, it being uncold season brings a large, number of small. derstood that, even if she be successful, the quespox cases, and the danger of the disease assuming epidemic form is an annually recur- in Europe in the projected opening of the Upring one for which preparations should always | per Yangtsze, the N. C. Daily News mentions be in readiness. Medical opinion is in favour Regulations for the Consular Courts of United | of temporary hospitals for infectious diseases, that is, wooden buildings, which can readily be destroyed from time to time and replaced him, ashe intends to be of the party. by new ones. It would therefore only-be necessary to find a suitable site, erect quar-Customs and Harbour Regulations for the dif- ters for the doctor and staff, and to keep one world ready for the reception of cases pretext to have some sort of private theatrical that might occur at any time of the year, with arrangements for speedily running up entertainments, and we now read in the Correio additional buildings as they might be re- Macaense of the 20th instant, that on the occasion quired. Matsheds, we think, are objectionable as being more liable to catch fire than shingle buildings, though either is unfor- residence, before an audience composed of his tunately dangerous in the dry air of the winter months in Hongkong. For this rea-

a permanent brick building with liberal

disinfecting arrangements, might not be

one almost too horrible to contemplate. But however pressing the question of the ing of life at sea by the officers or crews of location of the small-pox hospital may be there is another of even more immediate own lives rescue as many as thirty persons who importance and which should be dealt with were in imminent peril from the loss or strandwithout a day's delay. We refer to the medical staff. At present Dr. ATKINSON, that they should be recommended to the Throne the Superintendent of the Government Civil for the rewards granted in cases of exception-Hospital, is in charge of that institution ally meritorious performance of duty. But the so very near to the only English Public Hosand of the small-pox hospital, the latter one occasion must always be limited to two or in fact being looked on as an annexe three. It has now been reported to the Vicercy suffering from small pox are to be found in the MELBOURNE Messrs. Norton, Hargrave & Co. to the former. Thus in carrying out the Nanking that on different occasions during Tung Wah Hospital, a building also in the midst his duties the doctor may have to strend of the Ts's-hai have rescued as many as fiftythe small-por patients and afterwards four persons who were on the very point of patients who may possibly be suffering from to the violence of the wind and waves, they have, diently San Franco. Mr. L. P. Fisher, 21, Merchants' open sores. Whatever care may be taken in the Videroy's opinion, fully carned the proby the doctor the system must be attended the names which he recommends -Referred to by grave danger, in fact a more certain the Tsung-li Yamen for a report on the case.

have no other duties to perform. The medical staff of the colony is small, but in a crisis like the present we should think would be possible to obtain assistance from the Army or Navy medical departments to take over some part of the work, so that arrangements might be made that one doctor should be specially detached for smallpox work. At all events it is the manifest duty of the Government to relieve Dr. AT-KINSON of the care of the small-por patients, both in justice to his other patients and to

nated in the colony with a view of securing it supply of lymph. The Agents (Messrs. Carlowitz & Co.) inform us that the N. G. I. steamer Stera, from Bombay, left Singspore on Sunday for this port.

The Pootung Wharf and Godown Company as paid a final dividend of Tla. 5 per share for last year, making ten per cent. for the year. A Japanese vernacular paper says :- The

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank has purchased premises in Soul in which to establish a branch Daron's French Opera Bouffe Company gave a performance at Macao on the 16th instant at

The General Managers (Messra, Jardine, Ma-

yesterday for this port. According to the Hupao, there still remain over 50,000 chests of ten unsold at Forchow, and there will probably be no market for it until after Chinese New Year.

The Macao Correio, says that it seems that the 28th instant has been fixed for the theatrical performance to be given by the pupils of Mr. Hambling in sid of the Instituto Humanitario Firmino da Costa. We learn that the little steamer Sea Gull, the

property of the local Marine Insurance Com-

panies, has been purchased by Mr. Andrew Johnston for the Peiko Tng and Lighter Company, and will leave here in a few days for Taku. Mr. Bruce Shepherd's Hongkong Almanack for 1888, published by Messes. Kelly and Walsh, reached as yesterday. There have been several additions made to the contents of this useful publication, which is one that no household

should be without. Quite a number of disbanded soldiers who ar rived at Shanghai from Formosa by the Chinese transport Fupe are now, the Courier says, roamties should furnish them with means to get to

Sir Richard Rennie, Chief Justice of H. B. Justice pro tent, whilst Mr. Goo. Jamieson will

The Tokyo Mainichi Shimbun says that nir, then the present hospital arrangements new road is to be constructed between Miyanoshita and Kiga, where a junction will be effected with a road running through Miyagino and continuance of the disease. If the patients Sengoku to Gotomba, at the foot of the Otomi were stattered about the city at their own pass. It is believed that a station of the Tokaido railway will be established at Gutemba.

We hear that several members of the Scottish community have determined to hold a subscription dinner at the Hongkong Hotel on the 25th inst., in celebration of the anniversary of Burns' birthday. Lists are now open for signature at Mesars. Geo. Falconer & Co.'s, Mesars. Lana, Crawford & Co.'s, and the Victoria Dispensary. The Barty News, referring to some ranway plant at the Associated Wharves, a portion of which was shipped to Chinklang in the Lecynon. save it is not Decauville plant, but is of a system known as the Béliard, and has been sold to the Chinese authorities by the French syndicate. The portion now at the wharves is to be sent on to Tientsin as soon as navigation is re-opened.

At the regular meeting of Victoria, Chapter of Royal Arch Masons held on Saturday night the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: -M.E.Z., E. Comp. M. Falcouer; H., E Comp. J. W. Croker; J., Comp. D. Gillies Comp. J. D. Ball; Scribe N., Comp. J. Willnott: P.S., Comp. E. Herbst; Janitor, Comp.

The Band of the Northamptonshire Regiment will play at the Officers' Mess. Murray Barracks, following is the programme:--.

" Gandolier' "Tannhauser! " Robert La Diable" ... Meyerboor.

An agricultural and industrial exhibition of the products of the mother country is to be held at Macro. The Bolstim publishes a notification hibition, to be composed of the Colonial Score-Costa, Arthur Tamagnini Motta Barbosa, P. N. da Silva, B. S. Fernandes, and A. J. Basto, Jr.

The Hu-nao says that permission has been ob tained from the Foreign Board for Mr. Little's steamer to make one single trip up the rapids tion of opening Changking is to be separately liscussed. To show the insterest that is taken that Mr. Haas, the Austro-Hungarian Consul. has been directed by his Government to accompany the Kuling on her first trip to Changking, and that an English poor has requested that the probable date of that trip may be telegraphed to

It would appear that the histrionic art find many sdepts in Macao, and that it is so much loved that occasion is taken of the merest entertainment or concert. Our Macantcorrespondent has frequently given accounts of these of the first 'anniversary of the birthday of Mr. Farrow's son, which took place on the 14th instant, a performance was given in Mr. Farrow's friends, of Messrs. J. J. Dilly and J. Allen's farce in one sot entitled "Chiselling." The characters were impersonated as follows:—Larkspur, Mr. son it might be worth consideration whether Mitchell; Trotter, Mr Corder; Dr. Stonecrop, Mr. Pennington; Mrs. Piper, Mrs. Farrow; Tate, Miss Loureiro.

after all the preferable. The danger of a Thefollowing occurs in the Daily News translations from the Peking Gazette - It appears that some time ago amended regulations were issued. by the Tsung li Yamen with regard to the savsteam vessels belonging to the Government. such officers or men should at the risk of their ing of their vessel, no matter whether the vesse be Chinese or foreign-owned, it was permitted number of names which might be sent in on any pital. the past and present year the captain and crew mised reward. He therefore presents a list of

in their province. - Daily News.

the Athenians, in their devotion to new ideas:

The following, with reference to the Nepaulese mission, appears in the Daily News, extracts from the Peking Gazette :- "The Vicercy of Szechnen states that he has duly communicated to Nepaulese tribute bearing envoy, Rocki, the We hear that several calves have been vacci-Imperial Decree authorizing the mission to enter Peking. The mission, which started from Cheng-tu on the lat of October last, is travelling by way of Shensi, Shansi, Honan, and Chihli, vide it with means of conveyance and a suitable escort as it passes through their several juris-

> The Rev. T. Paton, writing from Cho-chiakow on the 4th January, with reference to the Yellow River inundation, says :- "The latest got from the break is that after a high embank. ment had been made and all being well staked, a north wind came, and with the newly acthe broak this year. different quarters, whichamakes me fear it is so. some terrible times in the coming year.

past the city of Yuliu Fa. receives the waters] rains it is sometimes subject to disastrous floods The people of the place said they were called

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to a deadlook. THE EUROPEAN SITUATION. The Emperor of Germany, in his message to the House, expressed his hopes for the maintenance of peace notwithstanding the provailing uncertainty, but declared the passing of the Landwehr Bill to be imporative.

TURF NEWS. The Committee of the Jockey Club have withdrawn the licences of Wood and Barrett.

23rd January.

THEFT FROM AN EATING HOUSE. eating house in the Queen's Road, was sentenced to twenty-one days' imprisonment with hard

and escaping from oustody, was sentenced to three months' imprisonment with hard labour. THEFT FROM HOWLOON BARRACKS. Sui Ahing was charged with stealing two

sheets from the Barracks at Kowloon. Lance Corporal George Page said that on the 22nd inst. he got leave to fall out from church parade. He went back to his-tent, where he saw the defendant picking up something. He went up to him and found the two sheets in court in s possession. They were worth about a dollar. He did not know the defendant His Worship sentenced him to twenty-one day's imprisonment with hard labour.

valid certificate and also of carrying a loaded firearm, was fined \$10, and bound over in a suc of 350 to be of good behaviour for six weeks.

POX AND FEVER.

to the nature or pluse of the fever, but that they will give advice and aid to the local Authorsties,

Is it not a fact that a large number of Chinese

Hongkong, 23rd January, 1889.

The report which Dr. Buchanan. F.R.S. has master's bed room and found him lying in bed prevailed during the whole of Thursday, and the on his behalf.

Commentators on Shakespeare have often made just made to the Local Government Board gives in his night dress, revolver in hand, the boy at hardly be conceived. The charge of the let's allusion to "toking arms against a sea of by the Claritical Department which looks after small-pox hospital in time of epidemic should troubles;" it will be seen that the post who," was the public health; and though the volume be entrusted to bue gentleman, who should not for an age but for all time " is justified by necessarily contains a good deal of statistical theroom with a view to prevent any accident, they the people of Ts'ao Chow in Shantung, who are matter, which repels the general reader, and of being under the impression that they were in time reported to be arming themselves with a view to abstruse scientific disquisitions, bristling with todo so, and Mr. Millich went slowly from behind resisting the re-appearance of the Yellow River words like "morphological," "micropathology," "convection," and "fibring mons," it gives much interesting information as to the sanitary The Hingo News is informed upon reliable condition of the country, and as to recent dis- been discharged. At first slight, on entering be made, particularly as the labourers are now authority that Colonel Olcott, the shining light coveries of new modes in which infectious the room, they thought that it was Mr. Murra y's

in the Theosophical Society, is expected in Japan diseases are spread. Perhaps the most import- intention to shoot anyone who approached him. in March, and will bring, with him a learned ant portion of the report is the evidence, furaid in the revival of Buddhism in Japan, and to of Mr. W. H. Power, as to the dissemination of revolver pointing from him. It is believed that amines the expert cargo; and objects to short establish there a branch of the Theosophical small-pox from hospitals to the neighbourhood death must have been instantaneous. Society, and we have little doubt that he will be in which they are situated. Hitherto the point eagerly welcomed by the Japanese, who are, like has been in dispute. It has been admitted that whereas there is no more fever in the neighbourhood of fever hospitals than welsewhere. there is undoubtedly an excessive prevalence of small-pox near each institution that receives cases of that disease. But this was attributed by some people to carelessness in the conveyance of patients, or in the intercourse of the hospital

staff with the surrounding population, and it has been left to Mr. Power to amass facts and figures which seem to prove beyond all doubt that small-pox germs are, in fact, carried through and the authorities of these provinces are to pro- the air, and that unless it is found possible to prevent this a small-pox hospital; if not far removed from other houses, may do more to spread him adieu-were H. E. Sr. Costa, Bishop Mathan to check discuss. We believe that in at deiros the Prasident of the Leal Senado, the least one new hospital on the Continent all air from small-pax wards is passed through a furnace before being discharged into the atmosphere, but we are not aware that the plan has cruckers were let off, and as the steamer presed, been tried in this country, and unless it can be adopted with success a town hospital for smallcumulated water had completely swept away the pox patients will soon be unknown. Unlaskily, last two months' work, and for the time being all there is good ground for thinking that a general the workmen are returning home. The an- epidemic of small-pox is imminent; indeed, thorities are disheartened, and despair of closing Shoffold and Bristol are already suffering to a kong on their way to Singapore, Siam, and got this verified in very large extent If cases ar i to be left in the Timer. His Excellency is properling to Sian This was preceded a few days by the usual excencrowled dwellings of the poor for want of means I had not any hope of their closing it this year. of isolation, and, if the opposition to vaccination steamer Wingsang, from Calcutta, left Singapore If they do not, then we may be prepared for my be looked for. During His Excellence's ablence Dr. Costa more for vaccination than any number of com- Government. The Philadelphia Press of the 13th December | pulsory entetinents; and we fancy that if we

says, editorially :- "The continued importation | had a repetition of 1971.2, when between forty of Chinese labour into the United States by the | thousand and lifty thought deaths from small way of British Columbia is bound to cause and pox took place, the foolish chatter of the antiother dispute between this Government and the vaccinationists would, as then, be lost in the Dominion authorities, unless it is speedily stop- clamour for additional facilities for vaccination. ped. Prohibited by law from landing in this . The report gives another instalment of the country, the Chinese are freely received in Brit- results of that sanitary survey of the country to ish Columbia, whence it is easy to gain access to | which we have on a previous occasion referred. the territory of the United States. The atten- and which is of such a practically useful character tion of the Canadian authorities has been that its abandonment, when only about a third Boisly directed to the matter, and if they are of the districts in England have been visited. is as anxious for the good will and commerce of almost incomprehensible. The system of comthis country as they profess to be, they will give missioning skilled inspectors to make local in the prompt and effective action which it quiry us to the sanitury essentials of each district to report on its drainage, its water supply, its means of isoluting infactions cases, and its sani-We find the following curious incident of a tary administration generally, has resulted in

flood in Shensi in the Dally News translations the accumulation of a mass of material of the from the Peking Gazett: -- The Governor of utmost value as to the condition of the different Shensi states that the Yu-hei River, which rung parts of the country from a health point of view. The conferences between the medical inspectors from the Chin River as well as several streams and the officers of the local authorities, as to in the valleys of Mongolia. During the summer particular shortcomings and the best way of remedving them have established just the sort covering the fields the neighbourhood with of relation which ought to exist between the sand and stones. On the 6th of August last a Central Board and the local bodies, by whom, as thunderstorm occurred, followed the next morn- we are assured by Dr. Buchanan, the halp of ing between 7 and 8 o'clock by a tremendous fall the official sanitary exports has been much apof rain. The guards in charge of the river came preciated. And if the survey were completed in to report that the river was bringing down for the whole country, its results would constiblack lumps of something, of various sizes. tute'a sort of gazetteer from which it would be M.'s Supreme Court for China and Japan; is a Some of the pieces were ten feet long and looked possible to ascertain all the most important passenger by the M. M. steamer Djemah for like black logs. The Tactus and Brigadier points connected with the sanitary condition of sure more than 160 m stressfrom esisteen to head with numerous and costly presents for the are received in the Tung Wat Hospital, in home Mr. R. A. Mowat will be the Acting Chief hastened to the river side. There they behald every district. Supposing, for instance, that an extraordinary sight. The river's surface was somebody is considering whether he shall live a remain at Shanghai in the capacity of Acting covered with black objects which were plunging Southport. He will find from a table in the and denoing among the waves. The middle of volume before us the roadways are well kept; piece, and capable of dring any repairs, but the the stream was piled atoft, and, strange to say, that the sewerage is well flushed and ventilated, Septima's misfortune is the best example of the water down stream was higher than it was though with some local defects; that there is a how engineering work can be turied out at above. The planks of the bridges were carried satisfactory system for the removal of refuse; away without it being presible to rescue them that the water supply is unexceptionable and is Next day the ground from which the water had on the constant system; that the dwellings of dock hirs when a vessel his to stay in dock over ratire I was found to be strawn with black lumps, the poor, except on the outs dris, are in good condition and are rarely over-growded that the sand coal (sha t'air), and were brought down, administration by the Town Council is efficient; when extraordinary floods occurred, from the that the work of the Medical Officer of Health, "Seven Hills" Lake in the Mongol country; and Inspector of Nuisances loaves scarcely any. gineering work is in its infancy here.

but that the phenomenon was seen only once in thing to be desired; and that there is a hespital

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A district medical officer is free to perform the

most critical operations, and to treat-hundreds !-

of patients at the expense of the rates, without

the quality of his work being examined by way

diseases often originate among domestic animals,

seem that the lower animals are in some degree

revenging themselves for their treatment by

man. But for protection from such dangers we

must look to sanitary and pathological experts;

and it is to be hoped that the inquiries of which

the results are recorded in Dr. Buchanan's

MACAO. &

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

turned out that when the "boy" went to his

23rd January.

volume will conduce to this end.

H.B.M.'s Vice-Consul at this port.

for infectious cases, as well as a disinfecting a great many years.

ITALY AND ABYSSINIA. to leave Italy for Massowah. THE CANADIAN FISHERIES seavenging which is "wholly inefficient." No QUESTION.

wonder that this district is reported as " evident-The Canadian Fisheries Commission has come by in a very dangerous condition for the advent

three districts which have been reported upon, there are of course the greatest differences Some are different in one respect, some another, but it is not too much to say that, especially in the case of those towns which depend for their prosperity on the indux of annual visitors, the publicity which these official reports obtain makes them of the greatest possible service in securing improvement. On every

ground, then, the discontinuance of the survey, when not half completed, is to be regretted; and we cannot help hoping that the decision on this point will be reconsidered.

POLICE COURT.

BEFORE MR. H. E. WODEHOUSE. Chun Afun, for stealing three plates from an

ASSAULTING THE POLICE. Ip San Tak, who was convicted of stealing 120 cattles of salt and also of assaulting the l'olice

OPIUM CASES. Li A I, for being in possession of 172 taols of prepared opium on the 22nd instant without a valid certificate, was fined \$100, or in default two menths' imprisonment. Wong Afak, convicted of selling prepared pium without a l'oonce, was fined \$20. Mok Chang. Hing, convicted of being in Bession of two taels of opium dross without a

CORRESPONDENCE.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opin lo expressed by our Correspondents.

THE DISSEMINATION OF SMALL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." SIR,-The Commission appointed by His Excellency to enquire into the causes of fever lately so prevalent in this Colony have, if they only adhere to the letter of the Commission, a very limited amount of work before them; but it is to be hoped that they will not only enlighten us as who most certainly require advice, or they would not have placed the temporary accommodation for all small-pox patients in the centre of this very much overcrowded town of Victoria and

of the Chinese population of this town? It will, I am sure, interest your readers to carefully poruse the enclosed article, taken from perishing. For the energy and courage they the Morning Post of the 16th December last, have thus displayed while exposing themselves which arrived by last mail.—I am, yours obe-

and anatched the weapon from Mr. Murray' hand. It wastthen found that one chamber had from the position in which he was lying with the against any foreign trader who carefully, ex-

I hear that Sr. Commandador Basto has been retained by the prisoners from Timer to defend the charge brought against them. Sr. Busto has already moved the first step in the matter by notitioning the Government to hand over charge of the prisoners to the Chief Justice to be tried as according to law the Government have no right to detain the men without trial more than Consul would get justice for his nation in such

bwenty-four hours. His Excellency Senhor Roza left here on Thursday last for Hongkong en route to Shanghai. On board the stermer Klukiang to bid Chief Justice, Dr. da Sitva, Dr. Costa Duarto. and a large number of others. At the wharf salutes were fired from the forts.

His Echillency the Governor, with Sea. Costa and fin, and H. E & A.D.C. and Attacha Sr Chaby, will leave by to-day's steamer for Hong The only compensation is that an apidemic does | Duarte, Colonial Secretary, will administer the

> SAIGON. FROM A CORRESPONDENT.

17th January, 1838. Saigon is decidedly trying hard to surpass all same for the British Legation, and on the same ther European settlements in the Far East in

the way of surprises. By the steamer Ava, which laft our port-on Sanday marning, departed Mr. Villard, who has 'record of 21 years' good service. Mr. Villard is the first victim of the decree of the 29th October, 1987. He was formarly an assistant paymaster in the French Navy, and left the service in the fall vigore of youth to join the pioneers of French enterprise in Inde-China, on the establishment of French Cochin-Chins, and after 21 years of faithful service is rewarded with, an order to return to bis old corps. Among the uningrous friends that went on board the Apr to wish him god speed I noticed

Mr. Tremlett, the British Consul at this port I not a correspondent has forestalled main civing you the news of the opening of the New Dock at Saigon. Unfortunately his accounts savour a little of Chanvinism, as the Dock does not meaof Dock, and this with an easy-go tap line. don't deny that the Dook is a splendid master-Saigon Piving 300 and odd tollars a day for January meeting of the Oriental Society, when a month is certainly not a pleasant matter for cluden arrived at. The newly elected President, the Insurance Companies. Saigon is entirely the Japanese Winister, who seems in his right of stock of shipbuilding materials, and bu-

A new departure in the way of painting the Year calls on the various foreign Legations, outside of houses is taking place here; the outside walls are painted, "on appareit de brigues," imitating bricks of different colours contrasting

Take, for instance, Newhaven, where we are told that the sewerage is defective; that the house well with the appearance of the building. refuse removal is faulty, and that a quarter of Commerce have left behind the old system of the Russian Lagretion on the evening of January their predecessors. In a latter to the Under Se- 12th (Russian December 31st.) Mr. Reid an Another brigade of infantry is under orders toke, a Hampshire town, which might easily be cretary of State they have put their views on the present pricing the case of his mission with Colomade healthy, the Inspector found no sewers. Custom House in a straightforward manner re- nel Denby, who has memorialised the Yamen filthy and dilapidated houses, and an attempt at commending the total suppression of this branch on the subject of the yexations to which of finance, which although remunerative to the missionaries and Christians are subjected at Government, is permicious to the trade of the

of cholera." In the five hundred and ninety- Colony. News has reached this Colony of the strauding of the French transport Shamrook, while on her homeward passage with about 1,800 troops on board, somewhere near Colombo. All those on

bo ard were saved.

CHINKIANG.

At a regular meeting of the Doric Lodge, No. playment of sufficient inspectors for the pur- 1433, E.C., held at the Masonio Hall, Chinkiang, pose, really the small saving is scarcely worth on Tuesday, the 10th inst., P. W. Bro. D. A. regarding in comparison with the importance of Emery was proclaimed and invested Wor.

a national work of this kind. But even if the Master for the year 1888. The office bearers Chancellor of the Exchequer is unwilling to add were severally invested with their insignia of sent extract may be relied on as substantially materially to the number of inspectors, would it office and addressd. The ceremony of investiture correct. not be possible, by some redistribution of duties was partly performed by Wor. Bro. G. A. Allcot. to get the survey completed by the existing P.M. and P.D.S.Q.D. who vacates the chair, staff? It appears from the report that the this boing the third time that he has held the public vaccination was inspected in no less than high and important position as W. M. of the any very successful results, and yet in the face one thousand five hundred and seventy-seven Doric Lodge, namely, in the years 1833, 1886, and districts during last year; and considering the 1887 .- Morcury Correspondent.

CHI-NAN-FU.

As the result of so much agitation of foreign expert from head-quarters, and vaccination is sourcely as difficult as ovariotomy. An arrange- affairs) in different parts of this province of ment which was perhaps necessary on the first | Shantung, the English missionary, who was establishment of the vaccination system is now attacked at the city of Yenchow fu, has received superfluous; and if the choice is to lie between a certain amount of redress. The Taotai at the the amployment of the medical inspectors of the capital, to whom the matter was presented, has Local Government Board on the supervision of given an expression of regret at the injuries and vaccidation or on senitary inspectors of all the insults received, and has offered to pay the exdistricts in the country, we decidedly prefer the penses incurred by the missionary in his journey latter. Of the special inquiries described in the to Yen-chow fu and return. The missionary at report, one of the most important is that of Mr. once informed the official that the money could Spear with regard to typhus fever, which is es- be turned over to charitable purposes for the sentially a disease of fifth and poverty, and which relief of the poor.

has of late shown some tendency to manifest Word has come from the city of Tai-an fu itself in various large towns. Dr. Buchanan where two missionaries of the Church of Engtells us that fintil the time comes when masses of land are located, that anonymous placards have population, brought down to nearly starvation been issued forbidding the people to rent or sell point, shall cease to inhabit foul courts into which | property or even sell provisions to the foreigners. no air can enter, and to huddle their miserable As this city is near to Yen-chow in, it has been families into rooms that ought not to hold half affected by the baneful influence of that place: of them, typhus is likely to reappear again and The affairs of the American Presbyterian again. It is, however, eminently subject to missionaries have had a short rest after the atcontrol by proper sanitary measures, though its tack on one of their number. The different mat. virulently infectious character makes it more ters were referred to the American Minister at 1 fatal, perhaps, than any other disease, to doctors, Peking, and through him to the Tsung; li Yamen. nurses, and others who are brought into close The reply has come that as information has been communication with the patient. Indeed, one, received from the officials of Chi-nan fu concernif not two, of the medical inspectors of the Local ing the difficulties, instructions have been sont Government Board have in former years been to the Governor to order the Taotai to examine killed by it. Of recent researches as to diph- clearly and decide satisfactorily. It now remains theria, and of the strong probability which seems to be seen how satisfactorily.-Daily News Cor-

to have been established that this and some other respondent The Chinese Times writes :- The Tsung-li and are by them communicated to man, we have Yamen have agreed to settle the claims of the spoken on a recent occasion, and we need only Rev. Mr. Reid for damages sustained to missay that some of the additional facts given in the sion property at Chi-nan-fu in the riots of last present report tend to strengthen that conclu- summer, and instructions have been sent to the sion. If chickens give us diphtheria, and cows Governor of Shantong to arrange the matter infect as with scarlatina and tubercle; it would promptly.

31st December. The river is now frozen solid and the loe is thickening fast. The supplies required for local

use are usually out when the temperature is about its lowest, between the middle and the end of January, and if the residents in the south or in Japan who send here for ice during the summer would send their orders during the winter, and ship the ice away in March, they would not only obtain what they required very cheap, but would setjee Goswalla, has been condemned to death land it with little less in bulk. The expenses of for the murder of another policeman at Tound-Mr. Consul Alabaster has appointed Mr. E. T. Bond, of Mesers. Descon & Co., to act as cutting and storing ice in Tientsia are next to wingyee. We are informed that this is the first nothing, but a sudden demand for a large quantity instance of a capital sentence having been passin July has a strong tendency to enhancement ed on a Parsee in Ludia or Burmah during the Referring to the late Mr. Murray, it has of price as well as to premature liquefaction.

wind, without the fine vollow dust of the deserte. continued during Friday. So far this winter we have not had any such continuous blow till now. and the old-fashloned three days' gales have not been experienced for the last two seasons. The China Railway Company has now got all its rails, materials for bridges, rolling stock, etc.,

by great good fortune before the river closed and as some works can go on during the winter we expect that by the spring good progress will The compradores and dealers in strawbraid

wools, hides, etc. show a disposition to combine lately a real boyontt was attempted. It is a pity it was not carried out, as in the present mood of the Chinese officials it is easy to conceive that a fine for illegal interference with trade of some Tis. 250,000 levied upon the compradores and dealers would have brought about a sweet reasonableness. If any foreigner should find themselves threatened by an illegal combination mude to obstruct, his remedy is clear, and any a case .- Chinese Times.

PEKING.

The Seventh Prince is better, he seems to

have been drugged almost to death by the numorous and officious charlatans of the great Medical College. In spite of their misdirected efforts, however, the illustrious patient is likely to pull through. He is at present living upon human milk, ginsong, and hartshorn. The Emperor visited him again on the 2nd. On the 21st the Emperor, as is the custom, repaired to the Temple of Heaven to perform the accustomed sacrifices at the winter solstice. tions. A beautiful carol service was held in the chapel of the British Logation on the evening of the 24th.—His Excellency Herr von Brandt wave a Christman tree to the youngsters of Peking, to which the diplomatic body was in vited. and a bill and magnificant support in the Minister's we'l-known style, followed. The tree and tables were covered with all manner of presents, many of them most beautiful and valuable. On the 25th Sir Robert Hart gave his Christmas dinner to those of his service. On Monday evening Sir John and Lady Walsham did the afternoon Lady Walsham had also a Christmas reo for children. On the 26th, His Excellency the Japanese Minister received at his hospitable table the Prince and Ministers of the Tsungli Yamen, and on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday Mr. and Mrs. Shiols received at dinner the diplomatic, the consular, and college bodies respectively. His Excellency the French Minister with Madame Limstre received the Diplomatio Corps on Thursday at dinner. Besides these, various other/dinner parties have

sociation took place the other evening, when Dr. Edkins read a paper, entitled the Literature of the Religious Sects in North China The weather here has been excellent on the opening of the year. The New Year was brought in by some of the residents at the skating rink. Sir Robert Hart had a magnificent New Year's Eve tree which was laden ladies and children of Peking. The Literary and Dahating Society is to have a paper on the 9th by Mr. Pander, on Buddhism. Mr. Pander has a very large and valuable collection of Buddhist divinities. The discussion on the population of China is to be resumed on the 10th at the it is hoped important information will be comnumicated and some approximately correct con-

taken place. Sir Robert Hart had the first ball

of the season last week. Two more with a Fancy.

Dress one are to follow during the winter. Bar-

on von Ketteler bas arrived from Tientsin and

makes his presence felt in our social gatherings.

The December meeting of the Missionary As-

place as head of an Oriental Society, will be received, and will deliver an address Tho Tanngli Yamon Ministers paid their New the Russian of course excapted, on the 3rd. They divided into three batches, and each Legation was allowed an interview of half an hour. The some in the Legation quarter was very animated; as some two dozen officials in all there place in the ships A boll is to be given at the Provincial capital. Instructions have been sent to the authorities to enquire into these matters, and if possible have them rectified. It is quite incorrect to say that the Tsungli Yamen has agreed to settle Mr. Reid's claims for damages sustained to mission property in the riots of last summer, jas is stated by your northern contemporary Enquiry, with a view to settlement, is all that is, at present contem-

FIRE INSURANCE LOSSES,

plated.—Daily News Correspondent.

We (Singapore Free Press) insert another ex-

traci from the Review of the 7th December giving the results of the working of a large number of English Companies in 1886. As this is the third statement that has appeared, and as the two former tables have been amended by the companies themselves, the pre-

The percentage of losses and working expenses have in some cases exceeded the revenue. and even the best of the offices cannot boast of of all these figures, we hear of reduced receipts in China and Japan, heavier responsibilities, and open declaration that the chief aim o the London offices is to carry on a war of Rates, until the Eastern local companies stop giving their supporters any bonus. As rates decline so much the merchants' commission fade and these agents will doubtless soon be calling for an increased remuneration. We hear of a. oill that is likely to pass in Hongkong, taxing the Home Companies to support the Fire Brigade, and these additional expenses deducted from meagre receipts must, we should think, in

time convince the Home Offices that they had better not have commenced a war of rates. The table as given in the Review is too comprohensive to quote in extenso, but we select those columns which show the most important facts. namely, the ratio of losses and working expenses to premiums. A number of minor companies are omitted, as being of comparative unimportance.

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ire Insurance Association	70 5	37.3	107
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City of London	708	29.9	100
London and County	63-3	S5.7	99
National	63.0	86.3	99
Mutual Fire	69 6	29.6	99
Glasgow and London	68 P	30.0	98
Manchastar	102	28.1	98
Commercial Union	36.3	31-9	97
London and Provincial	65.8	31.4	90
Genoral	59:7	35.7	95
Landon and Lancashire	61'9	3 3-1	95
Atlas	614	30.6	96
United Fire Re-insurance	66'8	28.0	-94
Lion	61.1	32-3	93
Lancashire	63'4	28.5	91
Patriotio	620	257	90
Imperial	688	31-9	90
Queen	58.7	90-9	89
Caledonian	574	31-7	86
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146 allowed a discount of 10 % This allowance does not apply to through fares from Uhina and Japan to Europe. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs,

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STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA-SAKI, AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND. SEA). THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"TEHERAN," will leave for the above places on FRIDAY the 3rd February, at DAYLIGHT. E. L. WOODIN Superintendent.

Hongkong, 21st January, 1888. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ PORT SAID, TRIESTE, BRINDISI, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN, AND HAMBURG. PORTS IN THE LEVANTE, BLACK SEA AND BALTIC PORTS:

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Hongkong, 22nd October 1887. FOR HAYRE AND LONDON. THE A I French Barque "MARIANNE,"

E. Vialla: Master, will load here for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch: For Freight, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, 14th December, 1887.

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TO BE DESPATCHED

On 31st inst., at 4 P.M.

STEAM FOR BAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, CO. | HE 3/3 L 11 Norwegian bark LOMBO, PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, ADEN, BUEZ, PORT SAID, MEDITERRANEAN, AND Jus. Sorensen, Master, will load home for the BLACK SEA PORTS. ALEXANDRIA, MARSEILLES, PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA;

LONDON, HAVRE, BORDEAUX, DUNKIRK, AND ANTWERP. N WEDNESDAY, the 25th January, 1888 at Noon, the Company's Steamship DJEMNAH." Commandant Vaquier, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and Ports, and will have quick despatch.

CARGO, will leave this Port for the above Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marsailles for the principal | THE 3/3 A1. 1. American Ship places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M., F. S. Bangs, Master, will load here for the Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 24th above Port, and will have quick despatch. January, 1888. (Parcels are not to be sent

on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages care For further particulars, apply at the Com G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, 13th January, 1888. CANADIAN PACIFIC LINE. CARGO AND PASSENGERS JAPAN, CANADA, THE UNITED STATES, AND EUROPE,

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY AND OTHER CONNECTING RAILWAY LINES & STEAMERS HE British Steamship

"ABYSSINIA," 3.651 Tons Register, Lee, Commander, will be despatched for VANCOUVER, B.C., VIA KOBE AND YOKOHAMA, on FRIDAY, the 27th January, 1888, at THERE P.M. To be followed by S. S. "BATAVIA," 28th February, and S. S. "PARTHIA,"

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THE ENGLISH MATE. The P. & O. Steamer Bengal, with the English mail of the 23rd alt., left Singapore on the 20th, and may be expected here on or about the 25th

nstant. THE INDIAN MAILS The steamer Patha, with the Indian mail, left Singapore on the 18th, and may be expected percon or alout the 25th instant The Indo-China steamer Wingsang, with the succeeding Indian mail, left Singapore on the

23rd, and is the hors on the 30th instant THE GERMAN MAIL. The Norddentschar Lloyd steamer Braunschweig, with the Goringa mail of the 27th ultime, left Singapore at noon on the 22nd, and is due here on the 27th instant.

The P. M. steamer City of Sydney, with the American mail of the 31st December, left Yokohama on the 22nd, and is due here on or about the 28th instant.

THE CANADIAN MAIL. The Canadian, Pacific steamer Butavia, with For further particulars regarding FREIGHT | the next Canadian mail, left Vancouver on the

> STEAMERS EXPECTED: The P. & O. extra steamer Kashgar left Singapore at 4 p.m. on the 17th, and is due here on or about the 24th instant.

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nstant. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Orestes left Singapere on the 20th, and is due here on or about the

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day, the 24th inst., at 330 P.M. For Haifong.—Per Marie, to-day, the 24th nst., at 5.00 P. M. For Haifong.—Per Frejr, to-day, the 24th nst., at 5.00 P.M. For Saigon.—Per Protos, on Thursday, the 26th inst. at 4.30 P.M. For Yekohama and San Francisco.—Per San Pable, on Wodnesday, the 1st February, at-

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EXTRACTS THE QUEEN OF SHOPKEEPERS AND HER STORY.

Freezene, who has been to Paris known that manmoth shop the Bon Marche. Mr. Harrion; in his new, book (" The Saone: a Summer Voyage"), gives some interesting particulars of the remarkable woman who at the head of it. She is a native of a little village, Verjux, on the Saone, which " she left some years ago as a hundress, and finally found herself in Paris, where she married shopkeeper, who afterwards died, and she now keeps the sliop The young laundress of Verjux is to-day the queen. of all the shopkeepers in the world, and maintains her royalty after a fashion of her own. Madame Bouckaut is famous for three things-her wonderful businessabilities, her predictious wealth, and her untiring kindness of heart. Her shop is as vast as a Ministry of State, and probably requires at least as much ability for its government; her coffers are like a king's treasury, and her kindness rains benefits on all around her. She revisits occasionally the banks of the Saone, on her way to her Mediterranean villa. I wonder if the Parisian lady can recall to memory the hopes and anxieties of the poor young laundress of Verjux." Mr. Hamerton adds in a footnote: "She has just given £160,000 to the bonefit fund of her Employes, in addition to £40,000 already given for the same purpose; and £20,000 for other expenses. These large sams are talked of in the papers, but I have often heard, in conversation, of most efficacious help given by her quite unostentations. ly to persons or institutions that she constdered deserving. The best feature in her benevolence is not so ninch its vastness of soule as a thoughtful anxiety to produce the happiest results." Finally, Mr. Hamerton remarks that Madame Boucicaut has undertaken to build a bridge over the Sanne at her native village, which will cost her about

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Engine, 2 Steam Pumps. 2 Horiwhen shopmen were few and their duties zontal and 2 Diagonal Steam WINGHES. more multifarious, when the shopkoeper was Large Planing Machine. 1 Drilling the friend and companion as well as the em- MACHINE. 2 EMERY Tool GRINDERS. ployer of his shopman, when both lived under the same roof and shared the same table, tons. 2 double noting HAND PUMPS. then a 'Arry would have been an anachron- 5,000 gal. WATER TARK. I Bradford's Patent and the lonely bedroom of the shopman are 1,500 pieces per day, with Holler and Engine. the secret of 'Arry's existence. This ex- 7 new Hand-Power Patent; STREL FLOUR Plantation of the genesis of 'Arry is proved MILLS, by Pursehouse of Wolverhampton. 1 to a certain extent by the fact that he is al- New Patent Hand-Power BICE SHELLING MACHINE, by Nichollson, of Newcastle-ou-Tyne. ways a Londoner. What the crocodile is to All the above Machinery are new or as good the Nile Arry is to the Thames. Even his holidays are spent by its banks or at its mouth. In no foreign farce or vaudeville is he introduced upon the stage. This type of character is unknown even in such large towns as Birmingham and Manchester But, it may be said, if it is the monotony of a specialised business career that turns our shopmen into 'Arries, why is it that artisons' do not become 'Arries. Their working lives SACCONE'S SHERRY, PORT. working man in tight boots, talking slang, HOCKS, BURGUNDY. wearing a "button-hole," and displaying BRANDY, WHISKIES, ALE, STOUT the other outward symptoms of the 'Arry. is unheard of. To this objection two answers may be given. Working men marry PAINTS, OILS, VARNISH. early, and marriage is an antidote to 'Arry- PIANOS. ism; moreover, they belong to an immense "SINGER" SEWING MACHINES. caste, with powerful hereditary traditions, ruled by strong public opinion formed largely by the missuses—a conservative body that looks askance at social pretension. Arry, on the other hand, is on the frontier of fashion, has numerous business points of contact with the well-to-do classes, and absorbs H his civilisation from above. In a word, " respectability" is the goal of the working man, MONOPOLE RED. SEAL (medium dry). "go" with 'Arry. The here of meledrams who passes through life with a deep chestvoice and high moral principles, attracts the DRY Do. one; the light and airy swell of the music hall all jewellery and moustache attracte the other. Arry is rather one aspect of a class than a class of itself. " Nemo omnibus horis 'Arry est." During working hours he. is invisible: not a trace of him is apparent in streets or shops. It is this double, life of 'Arry that makes him interesting. There is something almost touching in the contemplation of the struggle that he must daily endure to keep in check those high spirits TVENTS IN HONGKONG AND THE which, bottled up for ted hours, gush forth with such uppleasant impetuosity as soon as he has lightly stepped over the shutter of Arranged this prison and is in the street. For the essence of Arry is high spirits. It is the characteristic that distinguishes him from others of his social class—the young man COMMERCIAL and BOCIAL OCCURRENCES, who goes to Exeter Hall or the Institute, if WRECES, SHIPPING CASUALTIES, FIRES, he be of a religious or literary turn, and the Typhoons, &c. old young man with rusty black coat, a wife, and quiet tastes. High spirits, then, are the main element of 'Arry; and as soon as they flag be disappears. So it is rare to meet with one on the shady side of thirty. 'A bald or gray-headed 'Arry bas never been seen. Marriage, like age, is fatal to bim. What holy water and printer's ink are to the witch, and cock-crowing to the ordinary domestic ghost, that is the sight of a wedding. ring to 'Arry. Given youth, bachelorhood, An Anglo-Chinese Dictionary, published at the and high spirits, further limited by narrow means and a propensity to imitate the class above him, and we have diagnosed him. It. must further be remembered that 'Arryism words which the Chinese have of late years been is confined to the male sex. "Arriet" is competied to coin to express the numerous obhardly his female counterpart. Her coy jects in machinery, photography, telegraphy, sniggle, heard in Bushey or on the Margate sands, bears some resemblance to the Arry here given in extenso. Each and every word is larf; and her feeling of neglect if she is not fully illustrated and explained, forming exercises kissed and hugged in public is akin to his for students of a most instructive nature. Both aloudness. 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